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LOCAL & PERSONAL.

Lawn mowers. Holloway Bros.
Weed hoes and files. Holloway Bros.

All kinds of fishing tackle at C. R. Gaines.

Children's 50c Wool Shirts at 25c, at Earl Boon's.

Buy your Filtered gasoline from McClaugherty & Son. 25-tf.

Mrs. A. P. Lanford of San Antonio is visiting Mrs. J. P. Lippold.

Louis Schneiders was in town Tuesday and dropped into this office.

Chas. Krenmueller of the Biry section was up Tuesday and called at this office.

Miss Hattie Meyer of Con Can is here visiting the family of her aunt, Mrs. Henry Rothe.

The well known architect, Boehlauwe, came out from San Antonio Monday to see Mr. Henry Rothe.

The Peter Schuttler is light running, durable and a handsome wagon to be proud of. Eugen Hueser.

Mrs. Nuckles, after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Lacy, left Wednesday on a visit to Seguin.

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Farms and Ranches. Two lots and house \$2300, also two lots and two-story house \$1750. Bargains in City and Town Property.

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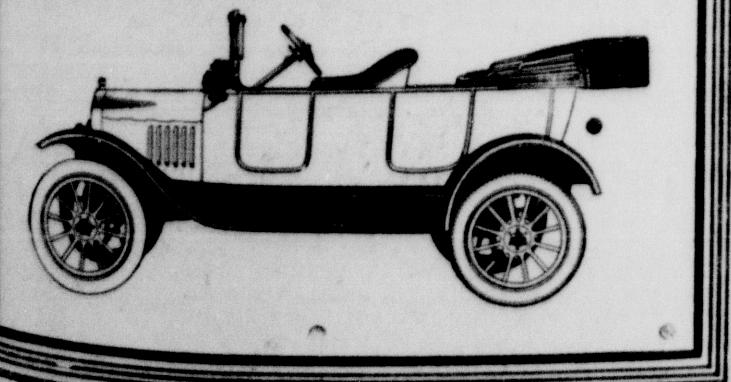
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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

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HONDO AUTO SALES CO.



Wiede-Gaines.

A quiet home wedding was solemnized Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, September 30, 1917, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gaines, when Mr. Arthur A. Wiede of Maxwell, Texas, and their eldest daughter, Ethel, were united in marriage, Rev. Winter Green officiating.

Announcing the arrival of the bride and groom, Miss Hazel Licklider played the soft strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March. After the ceremony a reception was given the happy couple. Refreshments were served, and Miss Licklider rendered some special music to the delight of all.

The bride wore a traveling suit of Havana broadcloth with accessories. The groom wore the conventional black.

The happy couple left at 3:00 o'clock in their own "little cosey car," followed by his father and mother and other members of the Wiede family.

The bride was one of Hondo's fairest girls. The groom is the youngest son of the Wiede family, and is assistant cashier of the Maxwell bank.

Binder's twine. Holloway Bros.
Weeding hoes and files. Holloway Bros.

Ladies Corsets & Price, at Earl Boon's.

Edgar Balzen was here from Sturm Hill Saturday.

Phone 37 for special auto livery. McClaugherty & Son. 25-tf.

Buy your tires from the City Garage. We see that you get service.

Willie Boehle was in town Saturday and was a caller at this office.

For sale—Six Shoots. Apply at residence of Mrs. Frances Keller. 9-2t. J. D. Burgin was up from Yancey Monday and paid this office a call.

Fresh Winchester Remington ammunition just received. C. R. Gaines. 8

A four wheel trailer you can attach to any car. Price right. See it at City Garage.

Ray Taylor was one among the many good people who called on the printing folk last Saturday.

Mr. Joe Short was here from Bandera Monday, the guest of Walter Short and family.

WANTED — A second-hand box wood stove in good condition. Must be cheap. Phone 61-F 11. 10, 1

Fritz Poehler returned to Brackettville Tuesday after a week's visit to relatives in this vicinity.

Let Edwin F. Bendele put up your windmills and gasoline engines. All work guaranteed satisfactory. 14-tf

Mrs. Henry Mofield passed through here the middle of the week en route to her home in Yancey from a visit to Del Rio.

Miss Graff and Miss Myrtle Haile, teacher of the Murphy school, were in town Saturday and were pleasant callers at this office.

Mrs. M. Terrell arrived here Wednesday from Humble on a business and pleasure visit. She will probably be here a week or ten days.

J. J. Droitcourt sends the Anvil Herald this week to his nephew, Walter Holzhaus, who is in training at Camp Paul Jones, Great Lakes, Illinois.

Rev. L. F. Jordan of the Yancey Methodist Church, returned from San Antonio Thursday. Rev. Jordan was met at the depot by Fritz Faseler.

Mrs. J. Newsome and children, of California, returned to Hondo Tuesday after a visit to relatives. Mrs. Newsome will stay here with the family of Adolph Haas.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Kramer and children and Mr. Henry Weiss and Hugo Dietrich, all of Fredericksburg, were here visiting Mrs. Fritz Leinweber and family Sunday.

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co.

Quite a number of young people from Hondo attended the dance at Castroville Monday. Among others were noted: Sham and A. G. Holloway, Robt. Weynand, Ramon Koch, Frank Westfall, Louis Gedea, Steve Fillemen, Et. Guly, Sam Haraldson, Chas. Davis and family, and many others from Quini and Sturmhill.

NOTICE!

Hereafter we will gin only two days of each week, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY.

MRS. J. W. HOLLOWAY,
Holloway Gin and Milling Co.

Hondo Public School Notes.

Firstly, we wish to extend our thanks to the Hondo Anvil Herald for space each week, in its paper.

At the first meeting of the Senior class, it was decided to ask for a column in the city paper for school news. This has been granted us and we now ask that the patrons of the school and the paper read our reports, that they may see and know some of the many things we are attempting.

The school closes its first month this week. The entire enrollment is not as large as at the close of the first month last year, but that of the High School is considerably increased. Also the distribution of the pupils in the grades is more even than that of last year, thus enabling better work to be accomplished.

The Senior class has organized and the following officers were elected:

President, Leila Windrow; Vice-President, John R. Wilson; Secretary, Nettie Fly; Treasurer, Lillian Brucks; Press Reporter, Isabel Schneider.

Committees were appointed to choose the flower, color and motto for the class.

Tuesday is set apart for Faculty meetings, Scout meetings and other clubs that may be organized in school. Other evenings during the week are spent on the athletic fields. The foot ball team is making rapid progress and has five games scheduled: the first to be played, Oct. 5, against West Texas Military Academy, and the second, Oct. 13, against Uvalde High School; both on our own field.

The girl's Basket Ball team has begun practice, with Mrs. Frank Cockrell as coach and will be ready for its first game within three weeks.

PRESS REPORTER.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all who have so faithfully assisted at the death of my beloved wife.

ARMIN ROTHE.

Refrigerators. Holloway Bros.
Blue flame oil stoves. Holloway Bros.

50c Table Linen for 25c Yd., at Earl Boon's.

For Sale—A piano, price \$100. Apply at this office.

For service, buy Goodyear tires. Citizens' Motor Car Co.

Go to Barrientes for all kinds of fancy fresh fruits and vegetables.

For Sale, a Gasoline Engine and Pump Jack. Apply to J. G. Heyen.

Thinking of buying, selling or trading a car call 139 or visit City Garage.

We are still in the market for all kinds of poultry, eggs and butter. L. Barrientes & Son.

All kinds of furniture repairing at Edwin F. Bendele's. All work done at reasonable prices. 14-tf

Phone us for all kinds of garden seeds, just arrived. Phone 200. L. Barrientes & Son.

Cotton shipments to date this year total 876 bales against 3,629 bales up to same date last year.

But three car loads of freight, towit, 1 of cottonseed, 1 of ice and 1 of cattle were forwarded from here this week.

Mrs. D. Mann and little son returned from a S. A. Hospital Saturday night. The little boy's hand has improved nicely.

Tom (not Louis) Neumann returned Friday of last week from San Antonio, where he had been employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiede, Sr., and sons, Otto and Herman, and daughter, Miss Hertha, were here from Maxwell Sunday for the Wiede-Gaines wedding.

Elmer Rothe, who is attending the West Texas Military Academy in San Antonio, spent last Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rothe.

Judge Lamm, in his most urbane manner, acted as official nuptial knot tier at the wedding last Saturday night of Sr. Juan Valverde and Srita. Maria O. Sanchez.

County Treasurer J. J. Droitcourt has received a check from Austin for \$1,551.58, this amount being one-half of the automobile tax collected in this county. This money will go into the general road fund of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Williams came out from San Antonio last Saturday and spent the week here with Mrs. William's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller.

Jul. Bless, whose company is stationed for patrol duty in the brushy country of Brownsville, reports a dangerous rise of the Rio Grande waters, but says it still has not rained any in the vicinity of Brownsville.

A 14-Horse Power Stover Gasoline Engine

In good condition. Will be sold cheap.

Apply to
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They are Beauties. Below are a few of the improvements.

The Wheel Base is 118 inches. 60 H. P. Motors on all Models, except 34 and 35. A Delco Ball Bearing Distributor has been added. Timken Bearings have been added to front-wheels. Radiator and Hood raised to give a straight line in design.

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Out of our Sanitary Refrigerator

TRY OUR

Falfurrias Creamery Butter
OUR BREAKFAST FOODS

are Fresh and Fine

New lot White and Whole Wheat
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Capital \$50,000.00

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1917.

SENSIBLE MARKETING OF COTTON ADVOCATED

Department of Agriculture Speakers
Meet Farmers and Business
Men in Conference.

Quite a number of business men
and farmers met at the Y. M. B. L.
Rooms at 2 p. m. yesterday afternoon
for the purpose of hearing former
agricultural commissioner, Ed. R. Kone and Mr. Fletcher Davis of
the Department of Agriculture discuss
the question of the business-like
and systematic marketing of cotton
in order that the producer might
receive a price for the staple in
harmony with prices of other com-

modities.

Mr. S. L. Robertson, president of
the Retail Merchants' Association,
told of a meeting held in Dallas
Sept. 21st, to outline a system of
marketing, the plan of which would
be outlined by the speakers this after-
noon. This meeting had been at-
tended by representatives from the
Retail Merchants' Association, the
Farmers' Union, the State Warehouse
Department and the State Depart-
ment of Agriculture, the object of
which would be the co-operation of
all these interests for the desired
end. It was the opinion of this con-
ference that cotton should not sell
for less than 30 cents per pound and
should only be placed on the market
at all at this price gradually, for
it was thought that cotton was actu-
ally worth from 30 to 50 cents per
pound in comparison with other com-
modities.

Mr. Robertson then introduced Mr.
Fletcher Davis, who spoke as fol-
lows:

"The most vital subject before the
Farmers' Institutes and the people
for consideration at the present time
is the marketing of this year's cotton
crop."

"In explaining this subject, let us
consider it from three standpoints:

"1. Is a higher price for cotton
justified?

"2. Can we reasonably expect to
secure an increased price?

"3. And, if so, how can we se-
cure it?

"Taking up the first phase of the
subject, we must consider it from
three standpoints also:

"First, we are now harvesting the
third short crop in succession. These
short crops, coupled with the extra-
ordinary demands on cotton to clothe
armies and furnish explosives, has
consumed the world's accumulated
stocks. With larger armies and in-
creased armaments the demands for
cotton for these purposes is increas-
ing rather than diminishing. And
there is no substitute for cotton available.

The world's stock of sheep has

decreased in number 54,500,000

head since the breaking out of the
European war, thereby lessening the
world's production of wool. The pro-
duction of wool in the United States

is normally 288,000,000 pounds. Our

importations are one and a third

times our production. But these im-
ports are virtually cut off by the
exigencies of war and we are now

compelled to rely upon our own re-
sources for these supplies. Army

authorities estimate that it takes 100

pounds of raw wool to properly
clothe and equip a soldier for one

year. If we raise an army of three

million men, we will need three hun-
dred million pounds, or twelve mil-
lion pounds more than our own do-
mestic production, to equip our army,

to say nothing about the rest of our

population.

"The world has never faced such

a need for material for clothing. It

must have our cotton, no matter at

what price.

"Second, careful calculations have

established the fact that under nor-
mal conditions it costs ten cents a

pound to produce cotton where a

bale to the acre is raised. As the

yield per acre decreases the cost per

pound for production increases. Like-
wise an increase in the cost of labor,

feed, horse-power, etc., means an in-
crease in the cost of production.

Therefore, in view of the short crop,

and the increased cost of living, care-

ful estimates place the cost of pro-
ducing this year's crop at an aver-
age of 42½ cents per pound.

"Third, manufactured goods have
already been sold to the jobbers on
the basis of from 35¢ to 50¢ per
pound for raw cotton.

"Therefore, we believe that we are
justified in expecting a higher price
for cotton than has been prevailing.
We believe the farmer is entitled to
some share in the difference between
the manufacturers' price of raw cot-
ton and the prevailing market price.
We believe the farmer is entitled to
a better compensation for his labor
and better returns on his invest-
ments. We believe he is entitled to
some share in the advantages to ac-
cruing from the tremendous demand
for his product. We believe a high-
er price is justified. Thirty cents
per pound instead of the prevailing
price may mean the difference be-
tween a bankrupt South and a pros-
perous South; between a bankrupt
Texas and a prosperous Texas.

"Seeing, then, that a higher price
of cotton is justified, can we reason-
ably expect to secure an increased
price?

"Cotton is one of the most sensi-
tive commodities with which busi-
ness has to deal, and the price is often
influenced up and down by very in-
significant circumstances.

"A study of cotton statistics shows
that for the past twenty-seven years,
every holding movement, whether re-
sulting from such bears as Sully
buying and holding spots, the Farmers'
Union advising cotton holding,
or Secretary McAdoo placing \$30,-
000,000 in the Southern Reserve
Banks for the relief of distressed cot-
ton, as he did in 1915, has been
attended by an advance in the mar-
ket.

"In view of the present status of
the cotton supply and the unusual
demand, is it not reasonable to be-
lieve that by demanding 30 cents a
pound and selling only so much as
the market will absorb at that figure,
the price can be secured?

"What, then, should be done to se-
cure this just and fair price?

"It calls for the co-operation of
the farmers, the bankers and the
merchants of the South.

"No honest farmer will seek to
throw unfair burdens on his mer-
chant.

"No honest merchant will seek to
unload the burden on his jobber or
on his banker.

"Let the cotton be stored in a
State bonded warehouse. Let a ware-
house certificate be secured the regu-
lar way. And if money must be
had, let it be borrowed on these cer-
tificates at 6 per cent, as provided
by law, from the local bank if pos-
sible, and if the local bank cannot
accommodate you, go to the Federal
Reserve bank at Dallas, which can
and will lend you the money.

"Let the farmer quit yoking him-
self up with the cotton gamblers
and letting them run away with the
price. Let him yoke up with those
agencies that his State and National
Governments have formed for him
to control the marketing of his crop
and he can secure a reasonable price
for the product of his toil."

Judge Kone said in part:

"Mr. Chairman and Fellow Cit-
izens: Having been reared on a

black land farm and being a prac-
tical farmer myself, I feel that I

might be able to make you some

practical suggestions in the manner

of studying and knowing your soil,

better methods of seed selection, till-

age and the general handling of your

land. But I feel constrained to con-
fine myself to the propaganda for

which this present itinerary was

made.

"For the last ten years I have

preached from the house-tops of one

end of this State to the other, that

the most difficult problem that pre-
sented itself to the farmer was that

of a systematic marketing of that

which he produces. I have already

recognized and now insist that the

best results will not come to him

without a thorough organization and

a spirit of co-operation among all

the people; the man in town and the

man on the farm must come to-
gether in this effort that the best

results may be brought to pass for

the benefit of all. Recognizing this

fact, soon after I took charge of

this office Thursday.

Poultry netting. Holloway Bros.

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Henry Batot was a business caller

at this office Thursday.

Machine hemstitching and picot

edging. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde,

Texas. 38-6mo.

Bethlehem Spark Plugs cost no more

and are guaranteed for life of your

car. City Garage.

Whenever your windmill or gasoline

engine needs repairing call on Edwin

F. Bendle for quick service. 14-tf

OVERLAND SIX—The well-balanced

Six—with plenty power and comfort.

See this new car at City Garage.

Lieutenant Joe Rogers and Embryo

Lieutenant Earl Starnes came out from

San Antonio Saturday night and spent

Sunday here.

Miss Emma Britsch went to San An-
tonio Thursday and will be the guest

of relatives and friends there for a

week or two.

Judge Burney, en route to his home

in Kerrville from Batesville where he

had been holding court, stopped over

here Tuesday night.

the men who create their wealth. As
they prosper, all others prosper.

"In addition to the three good sub-
stantial reason given to you by my
friend, Mr. Davis, why cotton at this
time should be bringing 30 cents a
pound, I give you this additional one.
Everything that you have to buy is
out of proportion to the price of cot-
ton, almost if not double. The three
short crops, following one after the
other, the fact that the heretofore
accumulated surplus in the hands of
the spinners is now exhausted, the
shortage in our wool, growing out of
the fact that we cannot now import
wool, all combine to make it a very
easy proposition for us acting in a
co-operative way, to put the cotton at
30 cents. All that the farmer will

have to do to bring this to pass is
to do his duty to himself; that is,
first, put up an honest package, have
the ginner take an honest sample
therefrom, go to his banker and bor-
row the amount of money he needs

at 6 per cent, pay his debts and say
to the cotton buyer, 'My cotton is
in the warehouse; it is worth 30
cents, and when you get ready to
pay that amount for it you can have
it, and not until then.' If you can
not get the money from your local
banker, all you have to do is to

send your certificate to Mr. Ramsey
at Dallas and his bank will furnish
the money at 6 per cent.

"This is not a holding move of
cotton. It is simply a safe and sane
marketing system of the same one
that has been too long neglected, one
which if put into execution will make

Texas blossom as a rose, benefit
every man, woman and child in
Texas, improve the rural home, take
from the cotton fields of this State

the rosy-cheeked, bright-eyed girls
and boys, and place them in the
school houses, where they justly
belong, take from the same place
the mother and wife and place her
in her home, where she will attend
to those domestic duties that she is

forced to neglect in order to help
earn the living for the family.

"My friend Davis has shown you
very clearly that it does not take
much action upon the part of the
people to pull the price of cotton.

The Sully incident that he called your
attention to, where he bought less

than the crop of Ellis County, gave

to the farmers of the South 4 cents
additional on the pound. The inci-
dent of Haynes, Brown, Scales, and
others redounded to their benefit in
like measure. The efforts of the

Farmers' Union and Southern Cotton
Association had the same effect. Do
you know that a simple resolution,
passed by the Retail Merchants' As-
sociation of Texas, in convention as-
sembled last year, advising the farmers
to hold their cotton for a better
price and promising to aid them
financially in their efforts to do so,
sent cotton up and up until you got
a much better price than you would
have gotten had it not been for that
resolution? These incidents, my
friends, show you that you does not
take much of an effort to make a
bull out of a bear in the cotton mar-
ket. They work on either side of
the tongue. They are simply gam-
blers that take any position that in
their judgment will make them money
by gambling in your cotton. If we
want a fair price, we must do some
bullying ourselves. And that is what
this movement means."—The Hills-
boro Evening Mirror, Wednesday,
September 26th.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

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County Court.

County court was in session the first of the week but very little business was disposed of. The following cases on the civil docket were called:

D. W. Evans vs. Bright Howell, suit for damages for conversion of property. Continued.

Crit Moore vs. Dr. J. E. Beall, suit for damages for one mule. Continued.

Adams National Bank vs. Devine Light, Power & Ice Co. and Christ. Schroeder and A. Naval, suit on promissory note. Continued for service.

Adams National Bank vs. Schertz State Bank, garnishment. Continued for service.

The following appeared for jury service: Frank Wurzbach, Z. A. Duncan, Jr., J. O. Droitcourt, Louis Mehr and Oscar Tondre. The other juror was excused for good cause.

There being no business for the jurors they were discharged for the term Monday evening.

Frank Wurzbach, Z. A. Duncan and J. O. Droitcourt were appointed jury commissioners to draw juries for the next two terms of court.

Martin Braden.

Martin Braden, age 50, a native of San Antonio and a pioneer railway telegraph operator, died yesterday at his home, 914 South Presa Street. He was railway agent at Lacoste for twelve years. At the time of his death he was employed in the finance department of the United States Army at Fort Sam Houston. Besides his wife, Barbara, and two grand-children, he is survived by five children, Lieut. F. H. Braden, Arthur Braden, Mrs. T. H. Abbott, Mrs. C. F. Thum and Miss Mabel Braden, all of San Antonio. The funeral will be held at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning from the family residence. Deceased was a member of the O. R. T., Medina Aid Society, Woodmen of the World, La Coste, Herman Sons and Volunteer Firemens' Mission Hose Company No. 4.—S. A. Express, Oct. 5.

Red Cross Notice.

The Red Cross had its regular business session Wednesday, Oct. 2, at 3 o'clock with an unusually good attendance.

Five new members were added to the roll, making 268.

Quite a bit of business was transacted and several new committees appointed.

It was decided to have a Tag Day Saturday.

After adjournment the ladies were treated to punch, by Mrs. C. J. Bless, which was enjoyed very much.

The Auxiliary is doing splendid work and would like to have your help. Come and join us.

PRESS REPORTER.

Union Service for Soldier Boys.

There will be union services at the Methodist church, Sunday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, for the boys who leave for the army Monday.

A special musical program is being prepared.

Everybody invited.

Mrs. Anna Fuos.

Mrs. Anna Fuos, age 38, died in a local hospital yesterday morning after an illness of two weeks. She is survived by her husband and three children. The body was taken to Dunlay, by the Zizik Undertaking Company for burial.—S. A. Express, Oct. 5.

Broke His Arm.

T. B. Holloway, of the firm of Holloway Bros., happened to an accident Tuesday morning that will cause him some inconvenience, as far as working around the store is concerned, for some time at least.

Mr. Holloway attempted to crank the firm's magnificent Studebaker Super—? in preparation for the day's business when from some unaccountable cause the engine "kicked" breaking his right arm just above the wrist. He had the injured member "repaired" and is now getting along as well as could be expected.

Just what caused the engine to "kick" has not been determined, as he had cranked it at least one thousand times before without happening to any accident, but the intimation that the near approach of the firm's busy season, and the also near approach of the open hunting season had anything to do with it is hardly probable (we understand he uses his left arm in shooting). Of course no one expects him to work with a broken arm, but as to going hunting—well, that's different; besides there's more fun in hunting than in working any old time, and T. B. enjoys stalking the game of the jungle.

We sympathize with the other member of the firm; he has a lot of hard work ahead of him, for his partner's arm will not permit him to work before the closed hunting season sets in at least.

The Biry School.

The Biry Rural High School opened Monday, Sept. 17, with Professor A. W. Myres as principal, Miss Nannie Littleton 1st assistant and Miss Naomi Griffin 2nd assistant.

The opening was attended by most of the patrons, several neighboring teachers and Supt. Saathoff of Hondo. At 9:00 a. m. the pupils were called to order, classed etc., after which they were dismissed and dinner was spread in regular picnic style, and could not have been more enjoyable.

At 1:30 the attendants were assembled in the school room again, to hear Mr. Henry Bendle, Supt. Saathoff and Prof. Myres speak in interest of good rural schools and education.

The day was one of real merriment from beginning to end, and every one seemed to have enjoyed it. (One of the patrons)—The Devine News.

Services at Catholic Church.

Sunday, 9:30 High Mass with Sermon, 10:30 Sunday School, 7:30 p. m., Evening Services.

Week-days: Holy Mass at 7:30 a. m.

During October Evening Services are held on Wednesday and Friday evening, at 7:30.

Cancer a Blood Disease.

Dr. O. A. Johnson, who has been pursuing scientific cancer research for a number of years was among the first investigators to announce cancer as a blood disease. The doctor has published a new illustrated book in which he explains the cause of cancer and describes symptoms in various locations and stages of development. Also many reports of cases treated during the past 17 years are given in evidence of the success of his method of treatment, which is entirely non-surgical. This valuable book ought to be in the hands of every cancer sufferer. For a free copy address Dr. O. A. Johnson, Suite 560, 1320 Main St., Kansas City, Mo.

Red Cross Sends Box.

The Hondo Auxiliary sent its first box to St. Louis, Monday, Sept. 24th. The box weighed 450 pounds and contained the following articles:

5 doz.	Hospital Bed Shirts.
3 "	Nightingales.
3 "	Bed Shoes.
3 "	Outing Pajamas.
10 "	Abdominal Bandages.
10 "	Triangular "
3 "	"T" "
6 "	Head "
12 "	Knitted Wash Clothes.
32 "	4 in. Muslin Bandages.
32 "	3 " "
3 "	Flannel "
2 "	4 " "
3 "	3 " Crinoline Bandages.
2 "	4 " "
74 "	Gauze Sponges, 4 X 4 in.
25 "	Compress Pads, 4 X 4 in.
13 "	Laparotomy Pads, 4 X 16 in.
13 "	" " 12 X 12 in.

The ladies are very proud of their success and are working to send another box very soon.

We appreciate the help of our friends and will need quite a bit of money to carry on the work and do the knitting.

Please let your donations be as liberal as possible.

Please remember, you are welcome to visit our work room at any time—whether you are a member or not. Out of town people are welcome also.

PRESS REPORTER.

[Re-printed from last week as quite a number of articles that the box contained were omitted, the copy being written on both sides of the paper.—ANVIL HERALD.]

Weather Report.

Hondo, for September 1917—Total rainfall 2.90 inches. Since Jan. 1st to Sept. 30, 13.34 inches.

Temperature—Highest, 100 degrees, on 10th; lowest, 50 degrees on 28th.—7 rainy days, 20 clear, 8 partly cloudy, 5 cloudy.

H. E. HAASS,
U. S. Weather Observer.

Peanut Harvesting Now On.

Mr. O. K. Seitz's new Peanut Picker arrived this week; and another picker, or thresher, we are informed about ready for work.

Just how the peanuts are going to turn out we are unable yet to say, it is practically a new crop here and there are estimated 3,000 acres.—The Devine News.

Men's Dress Shoes, 25 per cent off regular Price, at Earl Boon's.

Mrs. Allan Victor returned Saturday from a visit with relatives near Alpine.—The Uvalde Leader-News.

J. E. Collier, wife and daughter, after a week's visit to Mr. Collier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Collier, returned to their home in San Antonio Monday.

I will sell my Mitchell and Peter Schuttler wagons at the old price up to November 1st. Wagons have advanced in price about 25 per cent. Buy now and save money. Eugen Huesser. 9

What is LAX-FOS

LAX-FOS IS AN IMPROVED CASCARA

A Digestive Liquid Laxative, Cathartic and Liver Tonic. Contains Cascara Bark, Blue Flag Root, Rhubarb Root, Black Root, May Apple Root, Senna Leaves and Pepsin. Combines strength with palatable aromatic taste. Does not gripe. 50c

New Clazier's Hammer.

For setting panes of glass in window and other frames, a hammer is available which facilitates the work by giving a glazier perfect freedom in driving points, and also lessens the liability of accidental breakage, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. The tool is but little heavier than an ordinary tack-hammer and provided with a double-faced head of trapezoidal form.

Because of the shape of the faces, which have angular sides, the handle of the tool slants away from the flat surface of the glass when being used, thus permitting a workman to strike the points squarely and without difficulty.

Food Value of Milk.

A New York authority contends that one quart of milk is equal in food value to any one of the following:

Three-quarters of a pound of beef-steak.

Three-fifths of a pound of ham.

Four-fifths of a pound of pork chops.

Eight eggs.

Three pounds of fresh codfish.

One pint of oysters.

Two pounds of chicken.

By comparing the prices of the articles named one may arrive at a fairly accurate value of milk as a food at present prices.

FLASHLIGHTS

The worst kind of failure is the failure that is the result of only half trying.

You can always tell what a man thinks of money by the things he will do to get it.

Don't brag about yourself. As good as you are you don't stand alone in your class.

Laughter won't cure an ailment, but by gosh! it won't make it any worse.

Both Cooking.

The New Wife—I want some apples, please.

Grocer—Cooking apples?

The New Wife—I don't understand.

Grocer—We have two kinds—cooking and eating.

The New Wife—Oh, well, I want the cooking kind; and you may also send some potatoes, also of the cooking variety!

Intercepting His Family.

"I'm thinking seriously of starting a moving picture theater."

"Well, there's good money in that business."

"It isn't the money I'm after. But I would like to see my wife and children once in a while."

To Clean Aluminum.

Steel wool and a neutral soap are good for removing discolorations from aluminum. Boiling in clear water to which a spoonful of vinegar has been added, is also effective.

Supplement to The Hondo Anvil Herald, Oct. 6, 1917

Men's 15c Collars, 2 for 25c, at Earl Boon's.

Men's \$3.00 and \$3.50 Work Shoes for \$2.50, at Earl Boon's.

Seven car loads of freight were received in Hondo for the past week, as follows: 2 cars cottonseed cake, 1 car of coal, 2 of hay, 1 of oats and 1 of bran.

Harolson & Harolson have leased the Star Theater and beginning with Friday night, Sept. 28, will show first class pictures on Friday and Saturday nights at the regular price, 10c and 15c.

As the pastor, Rev. Winter Green, is attending the meeting of the Baptist Association in Uvalde, there will be no preaching service at the Baptist church tomorrow.

F. M. Ward passed through from Yancey Wednesday morning en route to San Antonio, where he is helping Uncle Sam to prepare comfortable homes for the great army he is organizing.

John T. Briscoe, G. C. Morris and Mack Kercheville of Devine and Judge Hudson of Pearsall were among the visiting attorneys who were here in attendance on the county court this week.

Mrs. John Goeke of Dundee, near Wichita Falls, in the extreme northern part of Texas, arrived here with her little daughter, Gertrude, to stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reitzer of Vandenberg for a while.

Mrs. and Mrs. Zizelman of San Antonio, who had been visiting with Carl Richter and family here, Ferd. Mumme and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rob. Reitzer, and Willie Neuman were auto-passengers to San Antonio Tuesday.

Navy life evidently agrees with Jake Miller. His father was showing a picture of Jake yesterday which he had just received, showing him in prime condition and evidently in a happy mood. He has gained twenty pounds in weight since entering the Great Lakes training camp.

Mat. Rath, evidently belongs to the "new comer class" he this week having a cinder walk placed along the west side of his property to enable pedestrians to keep out of the mud. The rain of last month seems to have somewhat unbalanced friend Rath—he apparently expecting another rain in a year or two. He will learn better however after a residence here of a century or two.

Mr. and Mrs. Orcenith Fly came up from Laredo last week-end and have spent the week here with Mr. Fly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fly. Young Mr. Fly has been drafted into the army and will leave for San Antonio Monday to join Webb county's contingent in the great national army that is assembling for training at Camp Travis, San Antonio. Young Mrs. Fly will make her home with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fly during the absence of her husband in the army.

Judge Ed. R. Kone, former commissioner of agriculture, and Mr. Fletcher Davis, both now in the agricultural department, spoke to a large audience of farmers and a few business men at the Knights of Pythias hall Friday afternoon on the subject of marketing the present cotton crop. Their remarks were well received and all present agreed that cotton is worth 30 cents and they promised to work together to get it.—Mexia Evening News, September 29th.

Philathea Class.

Mrs. G. W. Monkhouse was hostess to the Philathea Class Tuesday afternoon and in her graceful manner made the meeting a most delightful one.

The subject of the lesson was the "Life of Christ on Earth."

The next place of meeting will be with Mrs. Jesse Newton, Tuesday, Oct. 16.

Notice.

The Parent - Teacher's Association will meet at the school house at the usual hour, on Monday, Oct. 8.

All members are requested to bring their annual dues.

An interesting program has been arranged and all who have the welfare of the school at heart are urged to be present.

Senior Epworth League.

Oct. 7, 1917.

Leader, Mrs. Linnie Beal.

Subject "Christ's Yoke—What It Is and How to Wear it."

Song.

Sentence Prayers.

Song.

Scripture, Math. XI, 25-30.

Remarks by leader.

Talk, "What Is Christ's Yoke", Miss Emma Short.

Talk, How to Wear Christ's Yoke," Mr. Selby Wools.

Solo, Miss Hilda Muenninck.

Announcement.

Benediction.

Programm Junior League.

October 7, 3 p. m.

Leader, Roberta Hudspeth.

Bible Reading, Mark. 3, 1-6.

Song.

Prayer.

23. Psalm in concert.

Like Christ on the Sabbath and every day, by Leader and members.

The first great Methodist, Song.

Benediction.

Answer roll call with Bible Verses.

Mr. W. T. Beal is nursing a very sore foot, the result of stepping on a nail.

The Royal Neighbors will meet at their hall at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Members, please come.

Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a weekly news-letter to them.

Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Miss Florence, was here from Castroville yes terday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Huesser Jr. were called to Castroville Friday to the bedside of Mrs. Huesser's mother, Mrs. Jos. Carle Sr., who is quite sick.

The showing of the different phases in the life of Dr. Martin Luther, from the cradle to the grave, the great historical events at his time and the difficulties he had in his endeavor, in good pictures, explained by Rev. Mr. Gokolin of Hallettsville, Texas, was enjoyed and appreciated by a large audience at the Lutheran Church last night.

Arrangements have been made with J. W. L. Hanley to do a real estate business at D'Hanis. See him at the depot at that place and talk over your real estate wants with him. Fletcher Davis.

Apple Surprise.

Pare and remove cores with a corer from juicy, tart apples; fill cavities with sugar mixed with cinnamon, chopped raisins and a little butter; then steam until tender, but unbroken. In the meantime boil rice in salted water until tender but not mushy; then drain; when apples are done, roll them in beaten egg, then into the rice; set on a buttered dish; dust with pulverized sugar and set in a hot oven for a few moments. Serve with a lemon and maple sugar sauce.

Shaker Layer Cake.

Cream together one-half cupful of butter and one cupful of light brown sugar; add two eggs beaten light, one-half cupful of water, one teaspoonful of lemon extract, two teaspoonsfuls of baking powder sifted with one and three-fourths cupfuls of flour and one cupful of hickory or butternut meats chopped rather coarse. Bake in layers and put together with brown sugar, cream icing or plain white icing. Ornament the top of the cake with halves of nut meats.

To Keep Cheese.

Grate the cheese and to each pound allow half a pound of butter. Melt the butter and while hot put in the grated cheese, mix well with a fork and with the fork press into small jars, tumblers or odd cups. Cover with thin paper dipped in milk. The cheese is much richer, but delicious, and will spread with a knife. It may be used without butter and mold will not attack it.

Delicious Tomato Soup.

Half can tomatoes, one small onion, third teaspoonful soda. Cook together and strain. Melt three tablespoonsfuls of butter and thicken with flour. Scald one and a half pints of milk and pour gradually over butter and flour, stirring constantly until smooth. When ready to serve pour tomato and milk together and season with salt and pepper.

Dutch Beef Loaf.

Run twice through the meat chopper a pound and a half of round of beef and one-fourth pound fresh pork, add one-half cupful stale bread crumbs, soaked in stock or milk, one-half cupful canned tomatoes, and celery salt, minced parsley, salt, red pepper and grated onion to season.

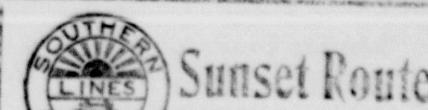
Mix thoroughly, shape into a loaf, brush with beaten egg, sprinkle with crumbs and bake, basting with melted butter and stock. Serve with tomato sauce.

To Make Cakes Lighter.

A wire egg whip will beat a cake in less time and also make it of finer grain.

A Left-Over.

The coffee left from breakfast may be utilized for coffee gelatin.



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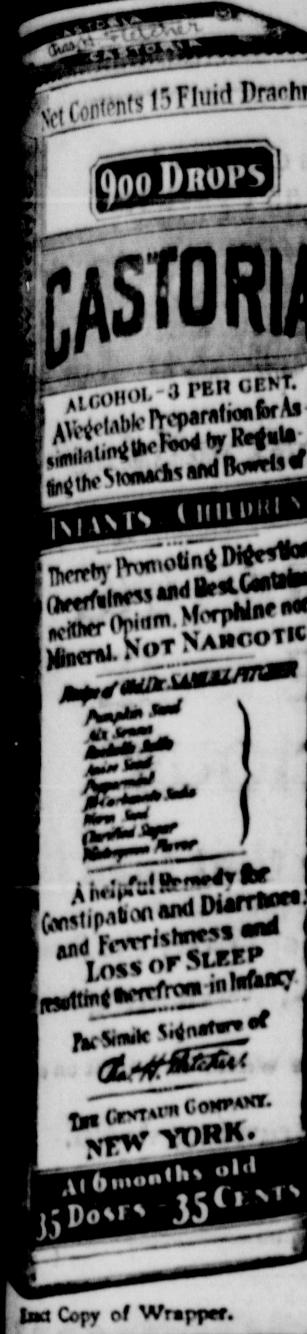
THE Sunshine Special

A black and white advertisement for The Sunshine Special train. It features a large locomotive pulling several passenger cars. One car has a sign that reads "I & G.N.". The background shows a landscape with trees and hills. The overall style is vintage, typical of early 20th-century travel advertisements.

All-Steel De Luxe train to St. Louis, Memphis, Chicago, New York, Summer Tourist Tickets to all Northern and Eastern Resorts on sale daily.

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No. 1 10:30 a. m.
3:30 p. m.
4:20 p. m.
5:00 p. m.
6:45 p. m.
9:45 p. m.
10:35 p. m.

Parlor cars on Nos. 1 and 2, between San Antonio and Corpus Christi. Sleepers on Nos. 3 and 4, between San Antonio and Corpus Christi. Sleepers on Nos. 3 and 4, between San Antonio and Brownsville, via Odem and St. L., B. & M.

E. F. BLOMEYER
TRAFFIC MANAGER

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

Mrs. Maude Davis Gained Fourteen Pounds on Tanlac.

"It's the First Winter in Twenty Years
I Haven't Had to Spend Half My
Time in Bed", She Says.

"I actually weigh more than I ever did in my life, I feel better than I remember ever feeling, and my friends say they have never seen me looking as well as I do now." This remarkable statement was made a few days ago by Mrs. Maude Davis, 2704 Hickory street, Dallas, Tex., while relating her experience with Tanlac. Mrs. Davis is the wife of W. J. Davis, the well known special officer, and their many friends will be glad to learn of her complete restoration to health.

"I don't know how long," continued Mrs. Davis, "I have been afflicted with catarrh of the stomach and head, but the trouble became acute twenty years ago and I just can't describe the suffering I have endured since that time until I got relief by taking Tanlac. My food would not digest, my stomach was all bloated up with gas and my heart would flutter so at times I would almost faint. I would spit up frothy-looking, stringy phlegm, had a constant dropping of mucus into my throat and my eyes were watery and pained me all the time. I was tired and languid and so dizzy at times I could hardly stand up. I suffered almost beyond endurance and had fallen off until I only weighed ninety-eight pounds. I had tried all kinds of medicines and had the very best treatment, yet I continued to suffer and grow worse and had become discouraged and despondent about my condition.

"But when I read about the good Tanlac was doing so many Dallas people, I had a new hope. I felt like it would help me too and it certainly has, even beyond my expectations. I just now realize what good health is, I never felt as well before, and this is the first winter in twenty years I have not had to spend fully half of my time in bed. I have taken five bottles of Tanlac and have not only gained fourteen pounds in weight, but all my troubles are gone, too. I never told my husband and neighbors I was taking Tanlac until my face filled out and my color got so good, and now they are all talking about my wonderful recovery; and many of my neighbors are taking Tanlac and getting well too, since seeing what it has done for me. Tanlac has made my husband and me both happy by giving me my health, and I'm glad to give this statement because I know there are lots of other people who need just such a medicine as Tanlac to get them over their suffering and make them well and happy."

Tanlac is sold in Hondo by W. H. Windrow, in Devine by Lion Drug Store, in D'Hanis by Louis Carle, in LaCoste by Dickey Drug Co., and in Dunlap by Louis A. Haby.

Refrigerators. Holloway Bros.
Binder's twine. Holloway Bros.
Men's \$1.00 Under Garments, 75¢ at
Earl Boon's.

For Sale—2½ horse power gasoline engine for sale. Apply to Citizens' Motor Car Company. 41-tf

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic,
GROVE'S TASTELESS chili TONIC, drives out
Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 6¢

STRAYED.—Brown mare mule, branded W on left jaw; gone about a week. Finder notify Tom Carter, Phone 61 F 4. 8-tf.

Rev. F. D. Moses of Yancey passed through here Tuesday en route to San Antonio where he is employed on government work.

A. J. Hardt passed through here Monday en route from Yancey to Georgetown where he will enter the Southwestern University.

A grand party and dance for the young folks was enjoyed by relatives and friends of Mrs. Aug. Leinweber at her home Saturday night.

Mrs. C. J. Bless was a passenger on the "jitney" Thursday morning to San Antonio, where she spent the day attending to business matters.

Plants for Sale: Cauliflower, per doz., 20 cents; Winter Cabbage, per doz., 15 cents. Out of town orders must include postage. MRS. H. B. TAYLOR, 7

FOR SALE—Ford Roadster. Bargain in used car—good tires, lots of power. Can be used for truck. Call and see it at City Garage. Horace M. King.

Eugen Huesser has installed all the necessary equipment and is now fully prepared to do auto top work in short order. Bring your auto to him to be recovered.

Mail orders promptly attended to. Please write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug store. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Druggist, Hondo.

Miss Ethel Smith, a pretty young lady of Poteet who had been visiting Captain and Mrs. Smith on the ranch, passed through here the first of the week en route home.

J. E. Merriman was up from the ranch Saturday and was a caller at this office. As his cattle are able to make their own living since the rains of some three weeks ago pear burning on his ranch has ceased for a while.

The Song of the Slacker.

We give you our service, you shut off our beer,
But the slacker can drink till it runs out of his ear;
We quit a good job to keep you from harm.
And the slacker goes by with a girl on his arm,
And laughs at the soldier—poor unlucky cuss—
You go with the slacker—why ostracize us?

The slacker rides 'round in a Ford of his own
And charges us a quarter to haul us to town;

We're doing our duty; his liver is white,
Yet we leave the street at 11 each night,

While he sticks around as long as he cares,
And laughs at the soldier—whenever he dares.

Disciplin, we know, is a thing that must be,
But, honest to goodness, we fail to see,

When the soldier drinks nothing but water and pop,

Why the drinks of the slacker can't also be stopped?

If the slacker can dance, it seems rather hard

That at all decent dances the uniforms are barred.

We have shouldered our rifles and taken our place,

And we'll go to our death with a smile on our face,

But this is our honest appeal to you.

Until we cross over, please give us our due.

(Contributed.)

JUDGE FOR YOURSELF.

Which is Better—Try an Experiment or profit by a Hondo Citizen's Experience.

Something new is an experiment. Must be proved to be as represented. The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit.

But the endorsement of friends is.

Now supposing you had a bad back, a lame, weak, or aching one. Would you experiment on it?

You will read of many so-called cures. Endorsed by strangers from far-away places.

It's different when the endorsement comes from home.

Easy to prove local testimony.

Read this Hondo case:

Thos. McCall, carpenter, says: "A short time ago I came down with an attack of kidney trouble. My back ached so severely, I could hardly stoop over or lift anything and this made it difficult for me to do my work. Dean's Kidney Pills, procured at Windrow's Drug Store, helped me right away and two boxes removed the trouble. I am glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to others suffering from disordered kidneys."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. McCall had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Dress Shirts for \$1.00, at Earl Boon's.

For quick sale—3 or more shares in Hondo Electric Light, Ice & Power Co. Cash Only. Make us an offer. Hanley & Davis, box J, D'Hanis, Tex.

Remember, the Anvil Herald wants a correspondent from every neighborhood in the county. Send in the neighborhood happenings. Your communication in many instances would be as much appreciated as a personal letter by your friends in other parts of the country.

\$500.00 Reward

I will pay the above reward for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who are stealing my steers.

D. W. SHORT.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blistering or Bleeding or Prolonged Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

W. O. W. Notice.

To all Members of Camp No. 154, Hondo, Texas:

I have received notice from the Sov. Commander that a war tax of 10c. was levied against every member of our society, commencing October the 1st, 1917, to be paid monthly until our boys are mustered out of war service or discontinued by the Sovereign Camp.

This will take effect with assessment No. 10. Please take notice.

Yours fraternally,

H. H. Crow, Clerk.

RHEUMATISM ARRESTED

Many people suffer the tortures of lame muscles and stiffened joints because of impurities in the blood, and each succeeding attack seems more acute until rheumatism has invaded the whole system.

To arrest rheumatism it is quite as important to improve your general health as to purify your blood, and the cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is nature's great blood-maker, while its medicinal nourishment strengthens the organs to expel the impurities and rebuild your strength.

Scott's Emulsion is helping thousands every day who could not find other relief. Refuse the alcoholic substitutes.

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The most scientific and most wonderful facial preparation of the modern age. It imparts to the skin a velvety softness and delicacy which is delightful in appearance and pleasing in its effect. Used during the day it is a protection from the Sun and Wind. In the evening its use assures a faultless complexion. All dealers 35c, 50c, and \$1.00.

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Complete House Furnish

Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, OCTOBER 3, 1917

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Died.

A Mr. Sullivan, who came here with his family, from the north, in quest of his health, died Monday night, and was laid to rest at the Catholic Cemetery, Tuesday evening. Rev. Father Heckman officiated.

Mrs. Jos. Christilles and daughter, Miss Hattie, of Lampasas, Tex., arrived in our midst the middle of the week, on a visit to kinsfolk and friends, guests of F. X. Schmitt and family.

Miss Alma Etter, after a lengthy stay with home folks, in our midst, returned to San Antonio, Wednesday.

Mrs. Paul E. Tondre and sister, Miss Frieda Etter, were Alamo City visitors the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haby, and Mrs. Ges. Langfeld Sr., of D'Hanis, were Castroville visitors Monday.

John C. Biediger, of the LaCoste Ledger staff, was a noted visitor in our midst Monday.

The dance given by the Willett Orchestra of San Antonio, at the Empire Opera House here Monday night, was largely attended and very much enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bendele moved from Riomedina back to our burg one day last week.

Louis and Arnold Haby, of Pipe Creek, visited relatives and friends here Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Wernette came in from their Ranch and spent several days here.

Mrs. Andrew Haby Sr. and son, Paul, were here from Riomedina.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Courand, Miss Josephine Courand, and Messrs. Joe, Claud and Francis Courand of San An-

SUFFERED FROM BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, DROPSY.

Dear Mr. Editor.—I wish to tell you of a recent experience I had when suffering from backache, weak back, rheumatism, dropsy, and congestion of the kidneys. I tried a new medicine, called "Anuric," which has recently been discovered by Dr. Pierce, of whose medicines and Surgical Institution in Buffalo, N. Y., you have no doubt heard for years. This medicine acted upon me in a wonderful manner. I never have taken any medicine so helpful in such quick time. I do wish anyone who needs it would give it a trial."

(Signed) G. H. HERR.

NOTE.—If backsache, scalding urine or frequent urination bother or distress you or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, lumbago, gout, neuralgia or sciatica, if you suspect that you have kidney or bladder trouble, send 10 cents to Doctor Pierce, at Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for large trial package or at all druggists in 50-cent package.

tonio were here Sunday in their handsome new Franklin car.

Mrs. August Wurzbach and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Haby of French Settlement, visited here Monday.

Mrs. Norman Frazier came in from Riomedina Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Keller and baby of Lacoste spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steinle and children were here from Dunlay Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Haby, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Burger and little son, of Dunlay, were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Miss Euphemia White of Yellow Banks attended the dance here Monday night.

Eugen Mangold was a Lacoste visitor Tuesday.

Rud. Wurzbach was here from Riomedina Tuesday.

Tom, Archie, Raymond and Miss Gladys Schuchart of Cliff were here Monday.

Mr. Beckmeyer and Miss Viola Krasile, and some friends, were here from San Antonio for the dance.

Robert and John Rahn were Alamo City visitors Monday.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bohl Saturday night, in honor of Mr. Bohl's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schorp, and Miss Agnes Schorp, attended the show in San Antonio Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burrell, and family, attended the Nagelin-Schneider wedding in Devine, Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Ahr returned Monday from a two week's visit to Mrs. Henry J. Schott of Devine.

Miss Lizzie Kieffer returned from a week's visit in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Kihorn returned from a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Schott of Devine.

Born, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. John Fischer, Sept. 26, 1917.

L. C. Howard came out from San Antonio, Friday, on a visit to Mrs. Howard.

Mrs. Lena Burger, and daughter, of Bader Settlement were shopping here during the week.

Otto Wurzbach was here from Cliff Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Val. Vollmer of Sabinal were here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerhart Ihnken, and little daughter, of Noonan, spent Sunday here with Mrs. Armin Boehme.

Mrs. Apolonio Moehring of Bader Settlement has moved here for the present to place her children in school.

Mrs. J. T. FitzSimon visited in San Antonio during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mangold and baby

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